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Patent Number	:	6,914,910
Issued	:	July 5, 2005
Name of Patentee	:	Robbert Van Renesse, et al.
Title of Invention	:	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR OPTIMIZING LAYERED COMMUNICATION PROTOCOLS

**REQUEST FOR  
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.322, it is requested that a Certificate of Correction in accordance with the accompanying Form PTO-1050 be issued in connection with the above-identified patent.

The above-identified patent issued with the following errors:

Title page, item (75), the inventors' names and residences should read:

**Robbert Van Renesse, Ithaca, NY (US) and**

**Mark Hayden, San Jose, CA (US).**

The errors in the inventors' names and residences which appear in the issued patent are PTO mistakes. The Declaration and Power of Attorney filed with the application on October 13, 2000, a copy of which is enclosed, contains the correct inventor information.

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Accordingly, issuance of the Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested.

It is submitted that no fee is due. However, if the Commissioner finds that any fees are due that are related to this matter, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct the fees from Deposit Account No. 08-2442 of the undersigned.

If there are any difficulties with this petition, it is requested that the undersigned be contacted at the telephone number indicated below.

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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

PATENT NO. : **6,914,910** *1*  
DATED : **July 5, 2005**  
INVENTOR(S) : **Robbert Van Renesse, et al.**

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

**Title page, item (75), the inventors' names and residences should read:  
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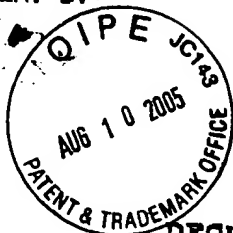
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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: Method and System for Optimizing Layered Communication Protocols; the specification of which was filed on August 28, 1998 by United States Postal Service Express Mail No. EE349081025US

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Application No.  
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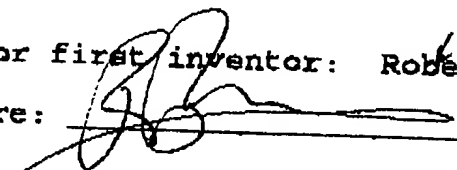
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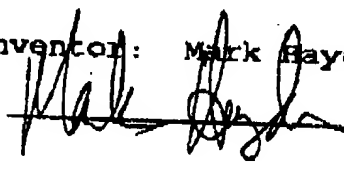
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